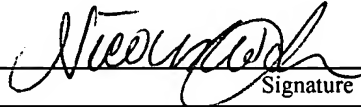
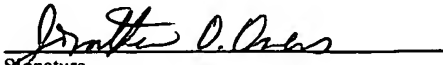


<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		<b>ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER</b> KOIKE-01600
<b>INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.</b> PCT/JP2005/001716		<b>U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.53)</b> <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">10/586764</div>
<b>INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE</b> 04 FEBRUARY 2005		<b>PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED</b> 4 FEBRUARY 2004
<b>TITLE OF INVENTION</b> GAS EJECTION DEVICE AND SPRAYING DEVICE		
<b>APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US</b> Noriaki Kumono		
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, <u>July 18, 2006</u>, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EV847496947US</u> addressed to: <b>Mail Stop PCT</b>, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Nicole Walsh</p> <p>(Name of Person Mailing Paper)</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">   <p>Signature</p> </div> </div>		
<p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau)</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made, however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) and comments.</li> <li>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)) combined with Power of Attorney (Unexecuted)</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</li> </ol>		

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☒ A power of attorney combined with Declaration (Unexecuted)
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13<sup>ter</sup>.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 -1.825.
18. ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application Under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☐ Other items or information: A copy of the revised publication including the international search report.

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22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee If International preliminary examination report prepared by the USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4).....				\$100	
All other situations.....				\$200	
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International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office.....				\$400	
All other situations.....				\$500	
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Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$900.00	
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$900.00	
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2				\$	
SUBTOTAL =				\$900.00	
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31 ) \$40.00 per property				\$ .00	
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